

Exam #76 William Marshall

No 76

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Under Article 14. Treaty of 14th June 1866,
with Creek Indians.

The undersigned, William Marshall,⁽³⁶⁾
Freedman of the Creek Nation, Married; loyal Refugee,
being duly examined and sworn: (he understanding, &
conversing in the English language;) deposes and says:
Whilst living with his family, on his place about
six miles from the Creek Agency, Cn. and sometime in
December 1862, he was driven from his home by the
Rebels under Col. M^cIntosh, and that in order to save
his life, or from being captured and sent to the South
in Slavery, he hastily fled with his family to Fort
Gibson, Cherokee Nation where he was employed as a
Tramster in the Quartermaster's Department until the
close of the War. This deponent further says, that at
the time of his flight from his home as aforesaid, he
owned and possessed, and did necessarily abandon
and lose, all the property hereinafter stated. And that
he has never since recovered the same, or any part
thereof. To say:

8	Eight large, fine Horses,	at \$100. each	\$ 800.00
75	Seventy five Hogs,	" \$10. "	750.00
2000	Two thousand Pence Rails	" 1 1/2¢ "	30.00
600	Six hundred Pounds Bacon	" 12¢ lb.	72.00
Lot	House furniture, beds, bedding &c & Clothing		137.00
Lot	Agricultural Implements & Tools		27.00
making a total value of			<u>\$1816.00</u>

One thousand, eight hundred and sixteen dollars.
Further this deponent saith not.

Subscribed & Sworn to before me at the Creek
Agency, C.N. this 9th of November A.D. 1869

his
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mark

W. Marshall

Attest. At my. Asst Supt. Ind. Affrs. South & Supt. Ind. Affrs.

The undersigned, George Marshall, a full
Blood Creek Indian, & Mary Marshall, a Freedman of the Creek
Nation, loyal refugees, being jointly, duly examined & sworn -
(both witnesses understanding, and conversing in the
English language;) do depose and say: They are not related
to the claimant, William Marshall, and have no pecuniary
interest in his claim: That they have heard the foregoing
affidavit read to them, and know its contents, and that
the same is correct and true. These deponents further say: -
The said Claimant did, of their own knowledge, own and
possess all the property set out in his deposition, at the
time he fled from the Rebels as stated; and did necessarily
abandon and lose the same in the manner Deposed.

Further these deponents do not say.

George Marshall,
Mary Marshall.

his
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Subscribed and Sworn to before me at the Creek
Agency, C.N. this 9th day of November, A.D. 1869.

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Awards.

The loss of property specified above, is deemed established by the foregoing testimony. - Also the status of claimant. The amount claimed, however is, in some instances, considered excessive. - Upon inquiry, it is found the values of the different kinds of property, at the time the loss occurred, valued as follows:-

Horses, - fine large, \$25.00 Each.

Hogs, - 2.00 ..

Fence Rails - Half claimed value = 15.00

Bacon per pound, .10 ..

and for the following one-half the claimed value:-

House furniture, beds, bedding, & clothing, - \$68.50

Agricultural Implements & Tools, - 13.50

In consideration of these, and all other facts, attainable, bearing upon the case, we believe it just and equitable to award this claimant - William Marshall - five hundred and seven

dollars:-

\$507.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

[Signature]

Brig. Maj. Genl. U. S. Ar. Subl. Ind. Aff. So. Dist. Tex.

[Signature]

Captain U. S. Army.
Breck Agent.